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Serial No.: 09/692,988

§ Examiner: Revak, Christopher A.

Filed: October 20, 2000

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For: Method and System for
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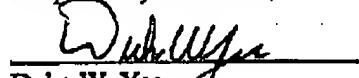
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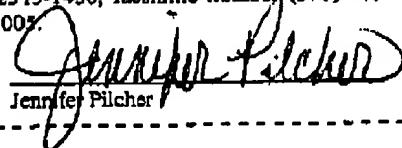
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In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

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